

SPECIFIC WAIVER COVER SHEET
CALIFORNIA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MAY 2003 AGENDA
Item No. WC-6

TITLE: Original request by Golden Valley Unified School District to waive <i>Education Code</i> Section 49550, the State Meal Mandate during the summer school session.	<div style="text-align: right;"><div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 50px;"></div> ACTION</div> <div style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 50px;"></div> INFORMATION
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RECOMMENDATION:

The Department recommends: ☒ Approval ☐ Denied

Summary of Previous State Board of Education Discussion and Action:

The California *Education Code* (EC) Section 49548 provides guidelines to assist the Department of Education and the State Board in reviewing requests for summer school waivers. The State Board of Education has consistently approved waivers if guidelines for granting approval are met.

Summary of Key Issue(s):

The EC Section 49550 states that each needy child that attends a public school be provided a nutritionally adequate free or reduced-price meal every school day. The following district has requested a waiver of EC Section 49550 for Summer 2003 and has certified their compliance with all required conditions necessary to obtain a waiver. EC Section 49548 allows a waiver of EC Section 49550 during summer school if the district seeking the waiver has met at least two of the following four criteria:

The summer school session is less than four hours duration and is completed by noon;

Less than ten percent of needy pupils attending the summer session are at the school site for more than three hours per day;

A Summer Food Service Program site is available within the school attendance area;

Serving meals during the summer school session would result in a financial loss to the school district in an amount equal to one-third of the food service net cash resources or, if those cash resources are nonexistent, an amount equivalent to one month's operating cost.

Agreement Number:	District(s):	Effective Period:	Local Board Approval:	Waiver Number:
20-75580-0000000-01	Golden Valley USD	06/10/03-07/18/03	02/11/03	23-2-2003

Authority for the waiver: *Education Code* Section 49558

Bargaining unit(s) consulted on: **02/06/03**

Position of bargaining unit (choose only one):

☐ Neutral

☒ Support

☐ Oppose

Name of bargaining unit representative: **Not required**

Local board approval date: **02/11/03**

Effective dates of request: **06/10/03-07/18/03**

Fiscal Analysis (as appropriate): Approval of the waiver may reduce the draw on Proposition 98 funds at the State level. Local district finances may be affected.

Background Information:

Waiver request forms and supporting documents are available for inspection in the Waiver Office. In cases where a request is recommended for denial, documentation is attached to this Executive Summary.